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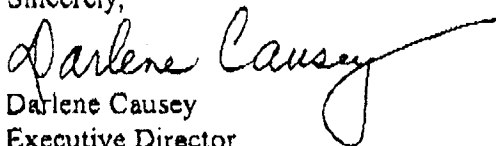
Dear Ms. Hesse:

I am writing this letter, as a consumer of high-tech products, to register my support for the recently negotiated settlement of the Microsoft lawsuit. It is clear that the best interest of all is for a quick resolution of this long and expensive lawsuit.

Even though some will say the terms of the settlement are not tough enough, I think it is far preferable to find a workable solution rather than mete out crippling sanctions against Microsoft that will do nothing more than dull America's cutting-edge technological superiority.

Antitrust laws were meant to protect consumers, yet at no time during this case has anyone shown that Microsoft has done harm to a consumer. I say it is time to put an end to this competitor-driven pursuit and let technological innovators, such as Microsoft, continue to fight it out in the marketplace—not the courtroom.

Sincerely,


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